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Mobile Handover Across Multiple Media Gateways Controlled by the

Same Call Server

REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

I, the attorney signing below, respectfully request permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case in accordance with 37 CFR § 10.40(c)(5). I am signing below on behalf of all the other attorneys of associated with Customer Number 000027683, as listed in the power of attorney filed in this case.

I respectfully request that the attorneys of record be granted permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.36.

The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 CFR § 10.40(c)(5), namely, my Client knowingly and freely assents to termination of my employment.

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